

Dear Parents/Guardians of Male Athletes,

Rural Health Services Consortium (RHSC) will be providing sports physicals for your child's school on _____ . It has been requested that parents and athletes be informed that for injury prevention purposes, RHSC will complete hernia screenings on male athletes as part of the comprehensive physical examination and in order to provide TSSAA medical clearance. If you do not wish for your son to receive a hernia screening, you may choose to schedule your sports physical with your primary care physician. If your son has permission to participate in sports physicals through Rural Health Services Consortium, please sign and return this form. A returned form is required in order to participate in sports physicals with Rural Health Services Consortium.

Athlete's Name and School (Please Print)

Parent Signature

I understand that a hernia screening is part of the TSSAA athletic participation medical clearance and grant permission for Rural Health Services Consortium to complete this screening. These screenings will be completed by professional staff in a private area.